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Hammacher, Schlemmer + Co.

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and Piano Materials

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REFER TO DEPT.

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4TH AVE. & 13TH ST. NEW YORK CITY, U.S.A. 8/4/11

American Numismatic Society,

156th St. & Broadway, City.

Gentlemen:

Attention of Mr. C.B. Ruch.

In answer to yours of the 3d we are
enclosing a receipted bill for goods purchased in
our store by your Mr. C.B. Ruch on August 2d.

Yours truly,

Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.

H. Scher.
Superintendent.

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YOUR ORDER

3/5/13,

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30 Days

VIA

Sold to The American Numismatic Society

Address 156th Str West Of Broadway, City

CLAIMS MUST BE REPORTED WITHIN TEN DAYS.

PRICES F. O. B. NEW YORK AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE.

OUR RESPONSIBILITY CEASES WITH DELIVERY OF GOODS IN GOOD ORDER TO TRANSPORTATION CO.

BOXES.

BBLS.

BDLS.

1,3/4" Star Drill 18"

GEa

88¢

Date, 3-12-13.

HAMMACHER, SCHLEMMER & Co.

HARDWARE, TOOLS, SUPPLIES
and PIANO MATERIALS

Name

Amer. Numismatic Soc.

Address

156th St West of Bway

City

*Please deliver to bearer, goods
to be returned*

One O.P.F. A. Brown

IT IS HEREBY UNDERSTOOD THAT OUR ACCEPTANCE OF
GOODS RETURNED IS CONTINGENT UPON SUCH GOODS
BEING, IN EVERY RESPECT, IN AS PERFECT CONDITION AS
WHEN DELIVERED BY US AND ACCEPTED BY CUSTOMER; AND
CREDIT ALLOWANCE WILL BE GOVERNED ACCORDINGLY.

Respectfully,

HAMMACHER, SCHLEMMER & Co.

Per [Signature]

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4TH AVE. & 13TH ST. NEW YORK CITY, U.S.A. Dec. 2, 1913.

American Numismatic Society,
156th St. & Broadway,
New York City.

Gentlemen:-

When you get around to closing your books you naturally like to have all accounts up to date. So do we.

We close our books with the calendar year and the enclosed statement of your account shows September and October items which we are very anxious to get out of the way by December 15th.

May we expect your co-operation and early response to this little business courtesy?

Respectfully yours,

Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.

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PAYMENT DUE THE 10TH OF THE MONTH FOLLOWING SALE.

PRICES SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE

CABLE ADDRESS

"HASCHO"

A. B. C. CODE 8TH EDITION

SHIPPED BY FRT., EXP., W. O. G. KEG., BBL'S

CRATES, BOXES, PACKAGES, CASES, BOLS.

INS... PARCEL POST

CUSTOMER'S ORDER NO. 7 26 28

SHIPPED TO

ADDRESS

SOLD TO AMERICAN NUMISMATIC SOCIETY

ADDRESS BWAY & 156TH ST CITY

200 234 RUBBER TIPS

(only 100 ?)

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HS Inc
Sec. Nat. Bank



Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.

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Main Office: 4th Avenue at 13th Street
Uptown Office: 57th St. 145-147 East
New York, N. Y.

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MONTH FOLLOWING SALE.

PRICES SUBJECT TO CHANGE
WITHOUT NOTICE.

CUSTOMER'S
ORDER NO.

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"HABCHO"

A. B. C. CODE 8TH EDITION

SHIPPED TO

ADDRESS

SHIPPED BY FRT., EXP., W. O. G. KEG., BBLs.

CRATES, BOXES, PACKAGES, CASES, BDLS.

SOLD TO

American Numismatic Society
Bway & 156th St/

ADDRESS

INS.—PARCEL POST

200 234 Rubber Tips

3 20 Gr 4.44

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5.24

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American Numismatic Soc.,
 B'way & 156th St.,
 New York, N.Y.

PLEASE ENCLOSE THIS STUB
 WITH YOUR REMITTANCE.
 YOUR CANCELLED CHECK WILL
 SERVE AS A RECEIPT. IF RE-
 CEIPT IS DESIRED, KINDLY
 MAIL ENTIRE STATEMENT.

TERMS: NET CASH. PAYMENT DUE THE 10TH OF THE MONTH FOLLOWING SALE

DATE	CHARGES	CREDITS	LAST AMOUNT IS BALANCE DUE
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28	5.24		14.41
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~~Hold~~
 Take up with
 Mr. Rush.

NO RECEIPT WILL BE MAILED UNLESS REQUESTED
 HAMMACHER, SCHLEMMER & CO.

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MONTH FOLLOWING SALE.

PRICES SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITH-
OUT NOTICE

CABLE ADDRESS

"HASCHO"

A. B. C. CODE 5TH EDITION

SHIPPED BY FRT., EXP., W. O. G. KEG., BBLs.

CRATES, BOXES, PACKAGES, CASES, BBLs

CUSTOMER'S
ORDER NO.

7 23 28

SHIPPED TO

ADDRESS

SOLD TO AMERICAN NUMISMATIC SOC

ADDRESS B'WAY & 156THST CITY

INS. -- PARCEL POST

100 # 17 RUBBER TIPS

4 40 GRO

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CUSTOMER'S
ORDER NO.

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CABLE ADDRESS

"HASCHO"

A. B. C. CODE 5TH EDITION

SHIPPED TO

ADDRESS

SHIPPED BY FRT., EXP., W. O. G. KEG., BBLs.

CRATES, BOXES, PACKAGES, CASES, BDLS.

SOLD TO

ADDRESS

AMERICAN NUMISMATIC SOC
B'WAY & 156THST CITY

INS -- PARCEL POST

100 # 17 RUBBER TIPS

4 40 GRU

3.06

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Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.

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Main Office: 4th Avenue at 13th Street

Uptown Office: 57th St. at Lexington Ave.

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CUSTOMER'S
ORDER NO. 7 23 28

CREDITED TO

AMERICAN NOTISATIS SOCIETY CO

ADDRESS

3 MAY AND 15TH ST CITY

CREDIT

We have this day credited your account as follows:-

200 #20 RUBBER TIPS

GR

6.60

9.17

DATE OF ORIGINAL INVOICE

TOTAL OF ORIGINAL INVOICE

3597

FROM

Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co., Inc.

Main Office: 4th Ave. at 13th St., New York, N. Y.

(Uptown Store: 57th St. at Lexington Ave., New York, N. Y.)

CUSTOMER'S
ORDER NO.

862

THIS LIST IS OUR RECORD OF WHAT THIS SHIPMENT
CONSISTS OF
IT HAS BEEN CHECKED AND RECHECKED.
CLAIMS MUST BE REPORTED WITHIN 10 DAYS.

SHIPPED TO

ADDRESS

SOLD TO AMERICAN NIMISATU SOCIETY

ADDRESS

804V # 150TH ST CITY

100 # 157 RUBBER TIPS

100 234

Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.

INC.

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Uptown Office: 57th St. at Lexington Ave.

New York, N. Y.

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CUSTOMER'S
ORDER NO.

7 23 28

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CREDITED TO AMERICAN NUMISMATIC INC

ADDRESS BWAY & 156TH ST CITY

CREDIT

We have this day credited your account as follows:-

100 #17 RUBBER TIPS

GR 4.40

3.06

DATE OF ORIGINAL INVOICE

TOTAL OF ORIGINAL INVOICE

3597



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PAYMENT DUE THE 10TH OF THE
MONTH FOLLOWING SALE.

PRICES SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITH-
OUT NOTICE

CABLE ADDRESS

"HASCHO"

A. B. C. CODE 5TH EDITION

SHIPPED BY FRT., EXP., W. O. G. KEG., BBLs.

CRATES, BOXES, PACKAGES, CASES, BDLs.

INS. - PARCEL POST

CUSTOMER'S
ORDER NO.

8 6 28

SHIPPED TO

ADDRESS

SOLD AMERICAN NUMISATU SOCIETY

ADDRESS BWAY # 156TH ST CITY

100 # 157 RUBBER TIPS

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Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.

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Main Office: 4th Avenue at 13th Street

Uptown Office: 57th St. at Lexington Ave.

New York, N. Y.

CUSTOMER'S

ORDER NO.

7-26-28

8 11 28

CREDITED TO

AMERICAN NUMISMATIC SOCIETY

ADDRESS

BDWAY & 156TH ST CITY

CREDIT

We have this day credited your account as follows:-

100 NO 139 RUBBER TIPS

.80 C

DATE OF ORIGINAL INVOICE

TOTAL OF ORIGINAL INVOICE

14th August, 1928

Messrs. Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.,
New York, N.Y.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed please find various bills and credit slips
for rubber tips. All of these were returned to you, as being
of incorrect size, except:

100 No. 137 Rubber Tips
200 No. 320 " "

Will you be so good as to send us a bill for these two items?
We have the bill for 100 No. 137, but would like to have both
charges on one bill so are returning this also.

Very truly yours,



Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.

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Hardware, Tools & Factory Supplies

Automotive Equipment

4th Ave. at 13th St. New York, N.Y.

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Aug. 20, 1933.

The American Numismatic Society,

Broadway & 155th St., City.

Gentlemen: Att. Mr. C.S. Spencer.

We are returning herewith our statement together with the various invoices and credits returned to us in your letter of August 14th, and wish to advise as follows :

Invoice of August 1st in the amount of \$8.00 and offset by copy of credit in the same amount dated August 7th, which is herewith enclosed.

Credit in the amount of \$9.17 dated August 4th cancels your order of July 23rd.

Credit in the amount of 80¢ dated August 11th cancels your order of July 26th.

We have no record of the return of the 200 No. 134 and the 100 No. 139 Rubber Tips in the amount of \$1.24 returned by you dated August 1st. IF you can forward us receipt which you hold covering the return of same we will be glad to investigate the matter further.

We are also returning herewith invoice of August 1st, which you are to cancel and order new invoice for 100 No. 139 Rubber Tips and 50 No. 333, but wish to state we have no record of supplying you with any No. 333 Tips, and believe you received the same at another place.

Yours truly,

Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.

20.00

23d August, 1928

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Messrs. Hanmacher, Schlemmer & Co.,
New York, N.Y.

Gentlemen:

I showed your letter of Aug. 20th to Mr. Bush, who receives and checks up on all materials received here, and he now tells me that all the rubber tips sent by you were returned with the exception of

100	No. 137,	for which we have your bill for	2.55
100	No. 234,	for which we desire your bill.	

200 No. 234 were ordered, but on counting Mr. Bush found that only 100 had been sent.

I am very sorry indeed that I should have been led into supplying you with erroneous information both as to number and quantity, and would be glad to have from you a bill embodying the two items above.

Very truly yours,



Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.

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IN REPLY REFER TO

HGimbel

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Oct. 23, 1928.

The American Numisatu Society,

Broadway & 156th St., City.

Gentlemen: Copy of our letter of August 20th.

"We are returning herewith our statement together with the various invoices and credits returned to us in your letter of August 14th, and wish to advise as follows :

Invoice of August 1st in the amount of \$3.06 was offset by copy of credit in the same amount dated August 7th, which is herewith enclosed.

Credit in the amount of \$9.17 dated August 4th cancels your order of July 23rd.

Credit in the amount of 80¢ dated August 11th cancels your order of July 26th.

We have no record of the return of the 200 No. 234 and the 100 No. 139 Rubber Tips in the amount of \$5.24 covered by enclosed invoice of July 26th. If you can forward us receipt which you hold covering the return of same we will be glad to investigate the matter further.

We are also returning herewith invoice of August 9th, amount 55¢, which you ask us to cancel and reenter new invoice for 100 No. 137 Rubber Tips and 200 No. 320, but wish to state we have no record of supplying you with any No. 320 Tips, and believe your records are somewhat confused on this transaction."

Yours truly,

HG.COC

Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.



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Oct. 23, 1928.

The American Numismatic Society,

Broadway & 155th St., City.

Gentlemen: Att. Mr. C.S. Spencer.

We are enclosing herewith copy of our letter of August 20th and would like to call to your attention that invoice of July 26th amount \$5.24 and invoice of August 9th amount 55¢ are still unpaid.

Will you kindly look into this matter and advise us what is being done regarding same, and oblige

Yours truly,

Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.

HG.COC

Enclosure.

31st October, 1928

Messrs. Harmsacher, Schlenker & Company,
4th Avenue at 13th Street, New York City

Gentlemen:

In reply to your letter of October 23d: On August 23d I wrote to you asking for a bill for the items supplied to us last July and about a week ago I returned to you your statement with a request for an itemized bill. As soon as we receive your bill it will be passed for payment.

Very truly yours,

Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.

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44 Ave. at 134 St. New York, N.Y.

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Amer. Numismatic Society,
Broadway, & 156th St.,
New York, N.Y.

PLEASE ENCLOSE THIS STUB
WITH YOUR REMITTANCE.
YOUR CANCELLED CHECK WILL
SERVE AS A RECEIPT. IF RE-
CEIPT IS DESIRED, KINDLY
MAIL ENTIRE STATEMENT.

TERMS: NET CASH. PAYMENT DUE THE 10TH OF THE MONTH FOLLOWING SALE

DATE	ITEMS	CHARGES	CREDITS	LAST AMOUNT IS BALANCE DUE
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PLEASE NOTE—This month ends our fiscal year
and it is necessary that all accounts be brought
up to date.
We trust you will appreciate our necessity
for requesting this, and will remit promptly.
Respectfully yours,
HAMMACHER, SCHLEMMER & CO.



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The American Numistic Society
Broadway between 155th & 156 Street
New York, New York

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November 2

1928

Att: Mr. C. S. Spencer

Gentlemen:

As requested by you in your letter of October 31,
we enclose a duplicate copy of unpaid 28 bill for \$5.24.

We trust you will find this agrees with your re-
cords and that a check to cover will reach us shortly.

Yours very truly,

HAMMACHER, SCHLEMMER & CO.

B. Stocky

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Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.

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Hardware, Tools & Factory Supplies
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4th Ave. at 13th St. New York, N.Y.

The American Numismatic Society
Broadway & 155th St. N.Y.C.

IN REPLY REFER TO
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Nov. 8, 1928

-Gentlemen: Att. Mr. C. S. Spencer

We wrote you on October 26 as follows, but as yet
have not had your response:

"We are enclosing herewith a copy of our letter of
August 20 and would like to call your attention to that invoice
of July 26 amount \$5.24 and invoice of August 9 amount 55¢ are
still unpaid.

Will you kindly look into this matter and advise
us what is being done regarding same, and oblige,

Yours truly,

HAMMACHER, SCHLEMMER & CO.

HG:MF

ENCL.

12th November, 1928

Messrs. Hammacher, Schlenker & Co.,
4th Avenue & 13th Street,
New York, N. Y.,

Gentlemen:

We are as anxious to pay as you are to receive payment for the material supplied us last summer, but we have not yet been able to determine from your statements what the total of our indebtedness is. For instance, in reply to the last of my letters (that of October 31st) you sent us a bill amounting to \$5.24. On the same day we received a statement which places our indebtedness at \$4.99; and, under date of November 8th, you advised us by letter that the amount owing you was \$3.79. As I wrote you in August, the only numbers retained were Nos. 234 and 139, 100 of each.

When you are able to come to a decision as to the amount owing you, we shall be glad to hear from you.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN HERPETOLOGICAL SOCIETY

By



Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.

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11-17-28

American Numismatic Society,
Broadway bet. 155th & 156th Sts.,
New York, NY.

Gentlemen: Att: Sydney P. Noe

We have your letter of November 12th
and upon looking up our records find that the fol-
lowing charges are open on your account:

July 28th	\$5.24	
Aug. 9th	.55	
Aug. 11th	Credit	.80
		<hr/> 4.99

August 11th credit covers 100 #139
Rubber Tips called for on your bill of July 28th
for \$5.24.

Trusting the above information will en-
able you to straighten out your records, we are

Yours very truly,

HAMMACHER, SCHLEMMER & CO.

PDS*EMG

21st November, 1928

Messrs. Harbacher, Schlemmer & Co.,
New York City

PDS 03

Attention of Mr. P.R. Shacky

Dear Sir:

I regret to say that your letter of November 17th has only succeeded in confusing us still further as to the amount in which we are indebted to you.

You state that 'the following charges are still open' on	
our account:	
'July 28th	\$5.24
'Aug. 9th	.55
'Aug. 11th	Credit
	<u>.80</u>
	4.99

Although the Aug. 11th item, being a credit, can not properly be termed a 'charge'.

However, in the next paragraph you announce that 'August 11th credit covers 100 #139 Rubber Tips called for on your bill of July 28th for \$5.24.' Our understanding of this statement is that our total credits amount to \$.80 plus \$5.24. Your bill of

May I here once more inform you of just what we did keep of the various rubber tips you sent us:

100	No. 137,	which you have billed us at	\$.55
100	No. 234,	for which we have repeatedly requested a	

bill.

Our records on this point seem to us perfectly clear.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN NUMISMATIC SOCIETY

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Broadway & 156th St., City.

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Dec. 6, 1928.

Gentlemen: Att. Mr. C. Spencer.

Referring further to your letter of November 21st, we are enclosing herewith duplicate of our invoice of July 28th covering 200 No. 234 Rubber Tips \$4.44, which is still due us, as this is the quantity which we delivered to you and not 100 which you state, and trust this will now adjust your records, and remain

Yours truly,

HG. COG

Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.

Enclosure.

H. Gimbel

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